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WAR DECLARATION COMPLETED BY THE HOUSE THIS AFTERNOON

COUNTY DOCTORS FORM BRANCH OF MEDICAL RESERVE

Practically Every Physician in Rockingham County Enroll and Pledge Their Support and Work to the Country.

The Rockingham County Branch of the Medical Reserve Corps, a branch of the New Hampshire division, was organized this forenoon at a meeting of the physicians of the county at the physicians' present from all parts of the county, practically every town being represented.

The meeting was called to order by Dr. J. S. Toole, on State street. There was a large number of Dr. F. S. Towle, who is a member of the state committee and the organization was perfected by the election of Dr. Towle as chairman and Dr. Walter Tuttle of Exeter, as secretary.

The object of the Reserve Corps is that if needed, the physicians and surgeons will be available for service with the United States army. Upon making application they are enrolled by the surgeon-general of the United States army and after an examination, they receive the rank of first lieutenant. For the present the examinations are held in Boston but a state examiner will shortly be appointed.

Two resolutions were adopted, both introduced by Dr. A. C. Heffner of this city. The first resolution was an

agreement on the part of all the physicians who have enrolled (there will be about forty-five from this county) to take care of the dependent families of enlisted men during the war without compensation.

The second resolution was—Whereas the Imperial government has committed repeated acts of war against the government and the people of the United States of America, therefore, be it

Resolved: That we, practicing physicians and surgeons of Rockingham county, New Hampshire, and citizens of the United States, unqualifiedly support the government of our country in its stand against Germany, and pledge our support in organizing the professional corps for such service as the country may need.

Practically every physician in this county has sent in his name for enrollment. The ages are from 21 to 45, with an exception in some cases to 55 years. So that it is possible to have Rockingham physicians will have all

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Resolution Now Being Debated in House and Only a Few Votes Expected in Opposition--Chairman Flood Says It Is No Time For Argument, But Action

BRITISH AND RUSSIANS MEET IN MESOPOTAMIA

Announcement Made to Associated Press by War Office.

(By Associated Press)
London, April 5.—The British and Russian patrols have got in touch with each other in the Mesopotamia, the Associated Press was informed today by Major General P. B. Maurice, chief director of military operation of the war department.

LOCAL ARTIST PAINTS P. A. C. POSTERS

The posters announcing the date of the P. A. C. Carnival ball are attracting considerable attention and they are artistic productions. The work is from the brush of Portsmouth's clever young artist, Miss Emily L. Tilton, daughter of R. M. Tilton. Each poster is of a different design, some in views, and the color scheme and all are perfect.

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 5.—Debate on the war resolution began in the house at ten o'clock this forenoon with Chairman Flood of the Foreign Affairs committee making the opening statement.

Passage of the resolution which will complete the action of congress in declaring that a state of war exists between the United States and Germany is expected by tonight with a heavy majority.

Rep. Cooper of Wisconsin, ranking Republican member of the Foreign Affairs committee, is expected to lead the opposition. Less than a dozen members, it is predicted will vote against the measure.

Less than half of the members were present when the session opened. Under the unanimous consent rule under which the resolution is being considered, Chairman Flood has the authority to ask for the previous question at any time after an hour, and bring the matter to a vote, but it was said that he is inclined to give the members sufficient time.

"The war is being made upon our country and its people," Rep. Flood said in the opening. "The time for argument has passed; the time for patriotic action is here and our people will rally to the support of their government in this patriotic hour and meet such sacrifices and war perils as a brave, patriotic people should."

Rep. Seigel of New York, Republi-

can, in favoring the resolution, said "we should not disregard, though we crave peace, Germany's warring against us." "During the week," he said, "intimations have come to me that political expedience required me to cast my vote against the resolution and contrary action on my part will mean a general effort from now on to end my congressional career. I would be unworthy of the American citizenship if I allowed my own personal welfare to defer me in my duty."

First expression of the opposition to the resolution came from Rep. Cooper and Rep. Stratford of Wisconsin and Rep. Britten of Illinois. While Mr. Flood was recounting the German violations of American rights which has brought on this resolution.

"Wouldn't the English mines destroy American lives?" asked Rep. Cooper.

"Up to today," says Chairman Flood, "England has never sunk an American ship or destroyed an American life, and this was greeted with loud applause."

He continued by saying that sixteen members have asked for time to speak in opposition to the resolution.

Rep. Cooper launched into a defense of pacifists and himself in particular. "I have been called a pacifist. I voted for all of these preparedness measures, this campaign of slander has no regard for the truth," Cooper also defended his vote on the McInerose resolution.

TWO BELGIUM RELIEF SHIPS SUNK

Trevier Sunk Without Warning By Torpedo and Boat Crew Fired Upon--Fiestien Also Sunk By a Mine

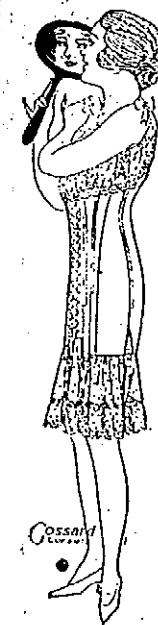
(By Associated Press)

London, April 5.—The Belgian relief ship Trevier, from New York, with the Belgian relief supplies, was torpedoed without warning on Wednesday. While the boats were being lowered the submarine opened fire upon the boats, severely wounding the captain, mate and engineer.

believed that the steamship struck a mine.

PORTSMOUTH GIRLS VOLUNTEER

Portsmouth girls are responding to the call and this morning Miss Hope Akerman, daughter of C. M. Akerman, presented herself at the enrolling office for duty as a yeoman.



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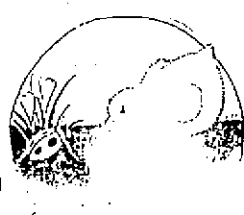
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\$3,490,000,000 TO BE ASKED FOR WAR PURPOSES

Congress to Ask for Its Immediate Appropriation; Increase Navy to 150,000 Men.

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 5.—Request for the immediate appropriation of \$3,490,000,000 for the army and navy was asked of congress by the executive department today. Provisions are made for increasing the enlistment strength of the navy to 150,000 and of the marine corps to 30,000. Of this great sum a little more than \$2,950,000,000 is asked for the army.

The details of the estimate approved by President Wilson: To be immediately available for the war, \$2,932,557,933. Secretary Baker stated that this amount was necessary for the period of a year from the date of the appropriation. To raise the authorized strength of the navy and marine corps 15,000 and 30,000 respectively, \$175,565,762 was asked. For the necessary expenditure of naval establishment, \$282,538,799 was asked. For the coast guard, \$600,000. The estimates were immediately sent to the appropriation

CAUSES MUCH DELAY TO THE TELEPHONE SERVICE

Something should be done in the way of furnishing a list of the telephones at the navy yard which the Portsmouth public have occasion to call. This would save time for the operators and the people on both ends of the wire. Much confusion is experienced daily in calls for places on the yard from the fact that the people of this city have no way of knowing the numbers of the several telephone stations of the government, and are obliged to go by names and departments.

OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION

Ambassador Penfield's Return Announced by State Department.

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 5.—Official confirmation of Ambassador Penfield's return from Vienna, was given by Secretary Lansing for the first time today since the rumors started over a week ago. No reason was given for his return, however.

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RED CROSS BRANCH NOW NUMBERS OVER HUNDRED

**Campaign Will Soon Start to Raise Membership to
at Least Five Hundred for Portsmouth Branch**

The Portsmouth branch of the New Hampshire Chapter of the American Red Cross now has more than 100 members and the membership committee of the association is pledged to a campaign which will bring that number up to at least 500. This was the sentiment expressed at the meeting of the executive committee on Wednesday afternoon when they met in the directors room of the National Mercantile and Trusts Bank. In the absence of the chairman Vice Chairman D. Curtis Matthews, Jr. presided.

The meeting was called to hear reports from the organizing committee, of which Mr. J. H. Thayer was chairman, the committee on classes in first aid, nursing, surgical dressing and dietetics; and a committee on work room. This nomination for the first committee were Miss Mary Ramsey, chairman; Mrs. J. H. Eastman, Mrs. Linnie Fernat, Miss Gertrude Lee, Miss Margaret Rand, Miss Priscilla Heflinger, Mrs. Frank H. Randall, Mrs. H. S. Howard, Mrs. John H. Bartlett, Mrs. Morgan Dada, Mrs. J. C. McDonough, Miss Helen Walker, Dr. M. A. Roger, and Miss Nora Canty.

Following were nominated: Mrs. Arthur H. Locke, chairman; Mrs. Charles W. Gray, Mrs. Eugene S. Daniels, Mrs. H. Clinton Taylor, Mrs. Robert J. Boyd, Mrs. Manning C. Ahern, Miss Ruth Davis, Mrs. W. L. Walker, Mrs. F. S. Towle, Miss Susan Mathes, Miss Martha S. Kimball, Mrs. A. C. Jefferson, Mrs. W. H. Munroe (Port Constitution), Mrs. W. L. Howard (Navy Yard), Mrs. Gustave Peyser, Mrs. W. L. Hill, Mrs. George H. Lord, Mrs. Harry W. Peyser, Miss Grace Conner, Mrs. L. H. Thayer, Mrs. William P. Miskell, Mrs. Warren Davis and Mrs. W. J. Cater.

The report of the committee was accepted and the committees elected.

The work room committee will have charge of the working quarters of the order, and this will be opened within a short time. The dues of the branch are \$1.00, this sum making one member of the American Red Cross, and the campaign committee believe that they will have little difficulty in getting the membership up to 500.

The question of a suitable work room has been left over to the next meeting as a petition is to be presented to the city council asking the use of the old Court House on Court street.

HOUSE BUSY KILLING VERY GOOD BILLS

**School Supervision Comes
Under the Ban of Legis-
lators.**

Concord, April 4.—With the executive committee of the committee of 100 preparing for New Hampshire's share in the war with Germany, the final hearing on the Lewis bill repealing the license law before the senate revision of laws committee and extended debates in the house of the Rockingham road, state-wide supervision of schools and the Brennan weights and measures bill, today was fairly well filled up with action in the state house.

It became a certainty today that the final adjournment will not be before two weeks from tomorrow, April 13. Aside from the several important bills pending, it is also true that the budget bill has not been adopted owing to the uncertainties of the bills carrying expenditures, which properly should go into the budget.

The Rockingham road bill, the supervision bill and the upper Connecticut dam bill were all killed by the house and the weights and measures bill, the debate on which started late, owing to the discussions of the road and supervision bills was permitted to go into unfinished business, with a tardy understanding that the bill would be taken up tomorrow morning. It was apparent that there was lack of a quorum present and when Representative William J. Ahern of Concord suggested that the bill was of such importance that there should be a full attendance to hear the debate, the house fell in with his motion, Major Brennan concurring.

The Lewis Bill Hearing. An impressive delegation of citizens appeared before the senate committee on the Lewis bill hearing. The majority of Manchester and Portsmouth and prominent citizens of those cities, Messrs. Somersworth, and numerous other places were present to lend their moral support to the opposition of the bill. Perhaps the most effective speech against the bill was that of Chief Michael J. Healey of the Manchester police department, who in feeling terms declared that he is a sincere "prohibitionist" and ready to become a prohibitionist when he is satisfied that a prohibitory enactment can be made which actually will cut out liquor, urged the senate to leave the present laws on the statute books. The chief said he based his observations on 25 years experience as a police man and he held that if the law was to be changed it should be an absolutely unquestioned "bone dry". He declared the Manchester police would make every endeavor to enforce the Lewis bill if it became law, but he argued that as at present constituted, it would be impossible for a strict enforcement.

Today was supposed to be given over to the opponents of the bill, but there were several speeches favorable to the bill, from A. B. Jenks of Manchester, Mrs. Ellen B. Richardson, state president of the W. C. T. U., and Representatives Lewis and Allen, the two ardent champions of the measure in the lower branch. They held that the law is much preferable to the present law, Mr. Lewis imploring the senators not to send the bill back to the house, as that in effect would be to "sentence the bill to death".

Among the others who spoke against the bill were Major Thomas H. Madigan of Manchester, Ex-Mayor William H. Barry of Nashua, Ex-Mayor Michael J. White of Dover, and Fred Barnes of Manchester, the latter representing the cigar makers' union of that city.

Major Madigan said that if the bill was to be enacted into law, equity demanded the bill be made effective on May 1, 1915, instead of next year as now provided. Ex-Mayor Barry said that it was idle for any senator or representative to say that he was carrying out the will of his constituency, unless there was a referendum to determine positively what the majority will of the constituency was. These suggestions were made for amendments to the bill and prompted the vehement opposition of Mr. Lewis and Mr. Allen, the former, as has been said, claiming that amendments would be a death sentence to the bill.

Chief Healey in his address said that it was inconceivable to him that senators and representatives who were openly drinking men should register a vote for prohibition, as was done in the house and as it was understood senators contemplating voting, when the bill reaches them. He declared the bill was not a "bone dry" law, as claimed, which brought a rejoinder from Mr. Lewis that the bill was "bone dry" as the term is understood by prohibitionists. Mr. Lewis contended it would be comparatively easy to bring violators of the law to justice.

One of the important pieces of legislation speeded on its way today, was the factory inspection bill passed by the house and reported favorably by the senate committee on judiciary. The bill has gone to the senate committee on finance.

The Connecticut Bills. Connecticut river power bills fared badly all day today. The upper Connecticut river dam bill was referred to the next legislature without a word of objection by the house, and the senate made the bill authorizing the transfer of the rights and properties of the Connecticut river company to a

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Massachusetts corporation, a special order for next Tuesday after the bill had started with a long amendment by Senator Theriault and favored by him as amended. This brought a strong remonstrance from Senator Page, who declared the tendency to give over the rights of New Hampshire to foreign corporations. He hoped the bill would be killed.

The big sensation in the house was the spirited indulgence of personalities between Messrs. Rogers and Lewis over the school supervision bill. Mr. Rogers in course of the speech for the bill, read letters from two school officials of Wakefield, who he said, were for supervision, after Mr. Rogers asserted he could not find a man in his town favorable. Mr. Rogers obtained the letters and learned they were written in 1915 and he charged that the Amherst member had sought to imply the house that they were recently written. Moreover, Mr. Rogers declared with great heat that his personal integrity had been attacked; then declared that within four days, the two men whose letters had been read by Mr. Lewis had personally told him they were "unalterably opposed" to the supervision bill.

Mr. Rogers won a warm outburst of applause when he came back at Mr. Lewis, which Speaker Moulton, short, however, with a brisk winking of the gavel and a warning to the spectators. The Wakefield members strengthened the highly favorable impression he has made by his spirited rejoinder.

The supervision of schools bill was killed by a vote of 133 to 105, on motion of Representative French of Moultonboro. Those who spoke in favor of its passage were Professor Emerson of Hanover, Mr. Lewis of Amherst and Mr. Brodson of Wentworth. Those in opposition were Mr. Rogers of Wakefield, Mr. Conner of Manchester and Mr. Wright of Sanbornton.

KITTERY

The business meeting and social of the Pinches which was to have been held Friday evening at the Second Christian church, will be postponed until further notice on account of Good Friday.

Quite a few members of York Rockab Lodge attended Union Rebekah Lodge of Portsmouth on Tuesday evening.

New teachers have been engaged for the Shipleigh school. Miss Ethel Pierce, grammar; and Mrs. George Pierce, primary.

The Men's Bible class of the Government street church will meet Friday evening at 7:30 in the vestry.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, who were called here by the death of the former's mother, have returned to home in New Haven.

A very important meeting of the official board of the Government street church will be held after the Men's Bible class. The hour is cordially invited to attend the Bible class.

The reading club will meet at the home of Mrs. George Baulter. Roll call. "What we have a right to demand for mills, and how it should be cared for," will be the subject for discussion.

Mr. Harry Tobey has moved his family from Jones avenue to Pine street.

KITTERY POINT

Mrs. Samuel Mudge and daughter, Mrs. John H. Mudge of Foye's Lane.

A rehearsal for the Easter music of the First Christian church will be held at the home of Miss Ellen Ziade this evening.

Harry Phillips and George Terry have returned to their homes after visiting in Boston.

Miss Dorothea Drew returned to the home of her parents on Wednesday after spending several weeks with her grandparents in Portsmouth.

Vernon Tobey and Edward Lawry have taken employment on the navy yard.

A drama entitled, "Not a Man in the House," will be presented at the vestry of the Baptist church this evening, in connection with the Easter sale to be held under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society.

Miss Ada Foye returned to her home today after visiting friends in Eliot.

Manning Lawry has taken employment on the navy yard after being in

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GERMAN AGENTS WORKING FOR NEGRO REVOLT

(By Associated Press)

Agents of a South American government have been found by the secret service of the United States. These agents have been working among the colored laborers, especially in the tobacco growing regions. Steps have been taken to trace the movement to the originators and in previous uprising being started. Farmers in the vicinity have talked of the advisability of organizing Ku Klux Klans as were in operation following the Civil war, but this report has not been confirmed. It is not believed that the

ASK TO FLY U. S. FLAG AT FRONT

Paris, April 4.—The leading American in the French flying corps united with the French government to ask the government of the Lafayette Escadrille, or otherwise, for the body of American soldiers fighting for France, to fly the American flag.

CARL MORRIS WINS

New York, April 4.—Carl Morris tonight was awarded a decision over Fred Fulton in this city in the fifth round when Referee Brown declared Fulton had struck Morris a foul blow. Morris received the blow below the belt and dropped to the floor. He was unable to arise for several minutes and had to be helped from the ring.



The "Old Man"
Has a Grouch
---and why shouldn't he, poor fellow, when he slept so poorly last night and got up nervous and irritable.

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allows men to sleep, affords them better self-possession and poise; makes them more fit for the day's work.

"There's a Reason"

SENATE PASSES WAR DECLARATION

**Vote of 82 to 6 Taken Just After 11 O'clock
Carries Resolution Declaring the United States
In State of War With Germany.--Gronna, La-
Follette, Norris, Lane, Stone and Vardaman
Oppose Bill.**

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, April 4.—The resolution declaring that a state of war exists between the United States and Germany was passed tonight by the United States Senate by an overwhelming majority. The vote being 82 to 6. The vote was taken at 11:06 o'clock after continuous debate in that body since 10:00 o'clock this morning. The taking of the vote was not marked by any display of emotion and the announcement of the result was received quietly by the members and the crowds which filled the balconies. Many mem-

bers of the House occupied places in the rear of the Senate Chamber on the floor, but they made no demonstration.

The scene was marked by the utmost gravity, many of the Senators answering to their names in voices which shook with emotion. The resolution introduced by Senator McCumber of North Dakota that the Senate not take action until after the sinking of another American vessel by a German submarine, was voted down without a roll call.

House Will Pass Measure
The resolution passed by the Senate

tonight declaring that a state of war is existing between this country and Germany urges the President to employ all available military and naval resources necessary to carry on a state of war and to bring the German Imperial Government to terms. The climax to the discussion of the resolution came in the Senate at 10:00 o'clock when the motion to put the question was passed.

Williams Answers LaFollette

Senator John Sharpe Williams of Mississippi delivered a scathing arraignment against Senator Robert M. LaFollette of Wisconsin, the pacifist Senator who has opposed all war legislation since the trouble with Germany first commenced. Senator Williams said that the speech of the Senator from Wisconsin was more worthy of von Bethmann-Hollweg than of a United States Senator. He asserted that in his dreams he could hear the cries of men, women and children in their watery graves, sent there by the torpedoes of Germany. This followed the speech of LaFollette who read a letter coming from four North Dakota women urging that the Senate not pass any war resolutions. He made a sharp depression in his speech against the measure saying that in many cases the minority often represented the will of the people. "I have heard in my dreams," he said, "the cries of the poor who are suffering in the trenches. The poor are not heard. They have no champion, no press, no organizations. They are against this war. There must be some way to settle this peacefully. When the taxes are doubled the poor will be heard."

Senator Williams said that he had expected that the Senator from Wisconsin would defend the invasion of Belgium, the most dastardly affair in the world's history. "I have heard the Senator speak. His speech is pro-German, and pro-Giff, anti-pacifist, and anti-American. Which do you want to do?" he asked, "fight Germany now with the help of France, Great Britain and Russia? Or do you want to fight her later alone? Fight her we must."

Cummings Votes "Yes"

Senator Cummings of Iowa, one of the thirteen who took part in the filibuster which defeated the passing of the armed neutrality bill, said that although he believed that there was another way to reach a decision he would vote in favor of the resolution.

The six senators who opposed the measure were A. J. Gronna of North Dakota, Robert M. LaFollette, Wisconsin; George W. Norris of Nebraska; William J. Stone of Missouri; James K. Vardaman of Mississippi; Harry Lane of Oregon. All were a part of the thirteen who opposed the armed neutrality bill, but they made no attempt at a filibuster on this occasion. The greater part of the thirteen hours spent in debate on the resolution was occupied by Senators speaking in its favor.

PACIFISTS ARE SENDING OUT A CALL FOR HELP

**WANT REINFORCEMENTS IN
RANKS TO FIGHT AGAINST
CONGRESS TAKING ACTION
FOR WAR.**

Washington, April 4.—The emergency peace federation today sent out to several eastern cities a hurry call for reinforcements to assist in the effort to prevent Congress from passing the war resolution asked for by President Wilson. Deserctions made the call necessary.

The pacifists and the "Pilgrims of Patriotism," today continued their hostile work on Capitol Hill. Dr. David Starr Jordan led a delegation assigned to endeavor to get the views of the pacifists before the Senate foreign relations committee.

OVATION IS ACCORDED PRESIDENT

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, April 4.—President Wilson attended a theatre here tonight after having spent the greater part of the day in working over legislation in preparation for placing the country on a war footing. He was accorded one of the greatest demonstrations of patriotic enthusiasm that a President could receive. The audience, upon discovering his presence in the house, cheered wildly. The orchestra played "Hail to the Chief" and the "Star Spangled Banner" the audience rising and singing the national anthem.

BASEBALL

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, N. C.—New York Americans 8, Boston Nationals 3.
Philadelphia—Holy Cross 8; U. of Penn. 3.
Lafayette, Ind.—Boston Americans 8; Brooklyn Nationals 6.
Annapolis, Va.—U. of Syracuse 8; Navy 3.

**TO GRADUATE WEST POINT
FIRST CLASS THIS MONTH**

Washington, April 4.—The first class of the United States Military Academy at West Point will be graduated into this month instead of in June, according to an announcement made today by Secretary Baker.

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MILLIONS IN ARMY FOR DEFENCE AND OFFENSE

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, April 4.—Detailed plans of the war department for the rising of an army numbering millions, if necessary, to bring the government of the German Empire to terms, are embodied in a bill drafted by the General Staff, and revised by Secretary of War Baker, to be introduced in both houses of Congress today to be referred to the committee. It is the intention of the officers of the army to raise an army which will be superior to any fighting force in the world. At the end of two years they expect to have a trained army of two million men, young men without home ties sufficiently strong to make their service to the country a hardship. It is the intention to not train any big volunteer army but to make this force by selective conscription of one class first, taking the maximum age of this class at first, and the younger men later as the numbers are to be increased.

The resolution will be submitted to the committees of both the House and the Senate as soon as the House has passed the resolution passed by the Senate tonight. Major General Scott, Chief of Staff of the army, will explain the workings of the bill to the members of the committee, and the numbers which the staff considers essential to the plans of the war department.

Provisions for a further increase in the coast patrol service of the navy are being made by the department under Secretary of the Navy Daniels. Plans for 200 more submarine chasers or coast patrol boats, are completed and the contracts let in most cases. The secretary also has a plan for the securing of small motor crafts for frigate patrol duty. Secretary Daniels has been in consultation with Captain Wilson, U. S. N., commander of the Coast Patrol service on the Atlantic Coast and also with the engineering experts of the navy department, to increase the number of 110-foot patrol boats. Contracts will be let to any builders in the country who can handle the work.

ELKS HOME OFFERED TO THE U. S. GOVERNMENT

In an extraordinary session of the Portsmouth Lodge of Elks, held at the call of the Grand Exalted Ruler on Wednesday evening, resolutions supporting the President in the present crisis, and upholding his recommendations to declare war against Germany, were unanimously passed. Further than that the lodge unanimously voted to offer the Elks' Home to the United States Government for use as a hospital or for any other purpose the President may designate.

Following the passing of the resolution a copy was sent to the President by telegraph. The telegram follows: "Portsmouth, N. H., April 4, 1917.

"The President,
Washington, D. C.
"Portsmouth Lodge, No. 97, B. P. O. Elks, in special session assembled, unanimously
"Resolved,
"That, in the present National emergency, this lodge supports the President in his attitude and action toward the Imperial German Government.
"That the President be commended for his kind expressions of good will toward the German people, and
"That, in case of necessity, the Elks' Home and grounds in Portsmouth will be placed at the disposal of the United States Government for use as a hospital or for any other purpose the President may designate.

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phil or for any other purpose.
"J. W. Barrett, Exalted Ruler
"W. J. Murphy, Secretary."

CONGRESSMAN THREATENED WITH DEATH

Washington, April 4.—Telegrams threatening their lives unless they voted against the proposed resolution declaring this country at war with Germany have been received by a number of representatives and senators today. They have been turned over to the secret service agents who are engaged in attempting to trace the telegrams to those sending them. The Department of Justice will deal with the culprits, if any are convicted.

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MASS. AGGIE TO AID STUDENTS WHO ENLIST

**WILL ACT SIMILAR TO THE MAN-
NER ADOPTED BY NEW HAMPSHIRE
SHIRE STATE COLLEGE**

Amherst, April 4.—Senators of the Massachusetts Agricultural College who enter any form of national defense service are to be credited with the remaining part of the year's work and given their degrees accordingly, under a vote of the faculty last night. Degrees were immediately voted to three men who will enter the officers' reserve corps.

Several students have already withdrawn from the college to take special work in preparation for officers' commissions, and 25 seniors are expected to apply for commissions shortly. Lecture periods have been shortened to provide time for additional military drill for the three lower classes. A census shows that more than two men out of three among the juniors and seniors intend to enter military service, most of them qualifying by examination for commissions. A submarine chaser crew of 13 men has volunteered. The faculty is preparing a comprehensive plan of "agricultural enlistment" for faculty, alumni and students to promote farm production.

Itching piles provoke profanity, but profanity won't remove them. Doan's Ointment is recommended for itching, bleeding or protruding piles. 50¢ at any drug store.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Thursday, April 5, 1917.

The Farmers Are Ready.

Speakers and writers are earnestly urging the farmers of the country to do their best this year toward the production of bumper crops of all kinds. Conditions which have prevailed the past year have brought the food question very prominently to the front, and while there is no danger that any one will actually go hungry in this land of plenty it is recognized that while the war lasts there will be a brisk demand for every pound of food stuffs that can be produced, and that high prices will prevail. But in this case the price is not so important as the supply. What the country and the world want is enough to eat, and in some way the people will find the where-with to pay for it.

But while this urging of the farmers to redoubled effort is well enough in its way, there never was a time when such prodding was less necessary. The demand for produce and the prices it commands are sufficient to put the tillers of the soil on their mettle, and none need worry for fear that they will not be up and doing when the time comes for putting seed into the ground. The farmers know a good thing when they see it, and they do not need to be told that this is their opportunity. They are now getting returns for their labor such as they have not been accustomed to, and they can be trusted to improve their opportunity to the utmost.

And their extra efforts will be put forth purely on a business basis. To urge them to raise big crops in order that high-paid workers in other callings may live cheaply will be to waste the breath. Farming is a business and not a philanthropy, and it will be well to face the fact that it is so regarded by the producers of food stuffs.

While the prices of farm produce are as high as they have been the past year people are apt to forget that conditions have not always been what they are now, and that there have been many years when the farmers have received very meagre returns for their labors. At present prices they are doing well and will not fail to work their farms to the limit, and with favorable weather conditions the farm production of the country this year will probably be the greatest in its history.

Back-yard and vacant-lot gardening is all right, and the more the better, but it is to the farmers that the people must look for sustenance, and the farmers will not fail them. They are getting a taste of the prosperity that has so long been enjoyed by others, they want more of it and are willing and ready to work for it.

New Jersey farmers and gardeners are complaining loudly of the damage done by deer, it being claimed that these animals are now ravaging hotbeds that are left open on warm days. A more extended open season would seem to be in order in that state, as this would increase both the vegetable and the meat supply.

Mrs. Pankhurst, the famous English suffragette, is demanding immediate suffrage for the women of Great Britain. Has she taken a lesson from the railroad brotherhoods of the United States? Opportunism appears to be in the air on both sides of the Atlantic.

The men of the Portsmouth navy yard to a man will show the country what they can do. The workmen are giving the war orders the best there is in them and when it is all over they will have done their part. They are all alive to the needs of our country.

The first girl to offer her services to the navy was a Portsmouth girl. Then comes the Queen City with five. Manchester has always maintained her reputation for possessing patriotic women and also some mighty pretty ones.

United States Senator Henry Cabot Lodge was the hero of the hour. He appears to be able to convince pacifists that it is time to fight.

The Massachusetts legislature sits down hard on the Sunday baseball proposition. It is not yet quite ready for the wide open Sunday.

This is a time for serious thought and every citizen of these United States must prepare to make some sacrifices.

Portsmouth crack 1st Company, C. A. C., is ready to a man. They are a fine body of young men.

Rockingham county is getting things in shape to serve the country to a man.

New Hampshire is setting an example for the other states to follow.

NEED MEN FOR THE TRADES IN THE ARMY

20,000 Men in All Trades Are Required.

Washington, April 4.—The war department wants 20,000 men of all trades immediately to join the quartermaster enlisted reserve corps. Rapid promotion is promised to men who prove fit in their particular lines of work behind the fighting front.

The list of trades given brings out sharply the wide range of activities in a modern army. Included are bakers, blacksmiths, butchers, canteeners (pack train experts), carpenters, checkers, clerks, cooks, electricians, steam engineers, farriers, forage masters, horse shoers, horse trainers, laborers, machinists, brick and stone masons, automobile mechanics, motor car masters, motor truck masters, motor cyclists, labor overseers, painters, packmasters, plumbers, saddlers, stablemen, stenographers, storekeepers, teamsters, tent makers, train masters, typewriters, wagon masters, watchmen and wheelwrights.

"It is the intention to select carefully men for these responsible places and give them their rank and position in the enlisted reserve corps now," says a statement issued today. "All that is required of a reservist is this: That during a period of four years he shall keep himself physically fit for military service, attend each year, if ordered to do so, an army encampment for a period of two weeks only, for which duty he will be paid, and present himself for active duty at the proper place in time of actual or threatened hostilities in answer to a call of the President. Men who enlist in this reserve retain their status as civilians and are only required to leave their homes in time of war. They constitute a preferred class over men whose sense of patriotism duty leads them to enlist only when war is declared. Military training as a soldier is not required.

"The members of this section perform the duties of their particular trade incident to the transporting of troops and furnishing them with supplies. Reservists are not required to drill or perform other purely military duties except in an emergency."

Applicants for the corps must be between 18 and 45 years of age and either citizens of the United States or in process of naturalization. The grades open to them are from private to senior quartermaster sergeant, pay ranging from \$16 to \$75 a month on home service and from \$18 to \$90 on foreign duty. They will receive rations, quarters, clothing, medical attention and all equipment in addition to their pay. The bulk of the corps will be composed of non-commissioned officers of the various grades.

Applications for service in this corps will be received by any recruiting officer or by the department quartermaster at Governors' Island, N. Y.; Chicago, San Francisco or Fort Sam Houston, Tex.

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practicing physicians within those ages enrolled and ready for whatever work the country will need.

A resolution asking for an explanation of a reply sent by a physician of German extraction, was passed but this was not made public. The city of the physician along with the passage of the resolution, left no doubt in the minds of the members of the Rockingham County Medical Reserve Corps standing in backing up the government.

MERRIMACK COUNTY FREE OF DEBT

Concord, April 4.—The annual report of the commissioners of Merrimack county has just been issued and contains the usual fine statement of the conditions of affairs. It is the first report in the history of the county to contain a statement that the county is free from debt, the last dollar of bonded obligations having been discharged during 1916.

Not only was the debt extinguished but at the close of business December 31, 1916, the county treasurer had in his hands a cash balance of \$15,316.45. In addition to this the county owns real and personal property approximately \$250,000 in value and all in first class condition.

Over \$5000 was received during the year as income from the county farm, and it is because of this productivity of the farm which is credited to the maintenance thereof, that the per capita cost of caring for its inmates, \$2.61, is so low. During the year \$34,812.23 was expended for care of county charges away from the farm. The re-

ports of the jailer, sheriff, county physician, chaplain, superintendent of farm and solicitor, all contain items of interest.

The retiring solicitor Robert C. Murchie, renewed his recommendation for a state police force, and also made the popular suggestion that the solicitor's term of office should begin on January 1, backing up the idea of introducing a bill in the legislature which is expected to bring about this desirable result.

The county physician points to the need of a hospital at the farm. The commissioners met the great loss to the county of Fred G. Evans, who was superintendent of the farm from March 1, 1908.

UNARMED AMERICAN LINER SUNK

Missourian Was on Way Back From Italy When Torpedoed Without Warning.

Washington, April 4.—Sinking without warning of the unarmed American steamer *Missourian*, which left Genoa April 4, with 32 Americans in her crew, was reported to the state department today by Consul General Wilbur of Genoa. The crew was saved.

WILL LIST ALL MOTOR CARS

Portsmouth Representative of Public Safety Committee Will Do Work.

All motor cars fit for war purposes, all factories and their equipment, are to be listed in this territory by order of the war department. Several citizens have already offered their machines to the government without charge. More troops will soon be stationed at the local forts. Stirring times are ahead.

JESS WILLARD READY AND WILLING

(By Associated Press.) Washington, April 5.—Jesse Willard, the champion heavyweight pugilist of the world, today sent the following telegram to the President, "I will fight; when do you want me?"

OLYMPIA THEATRE NOTES.

Out in Los Angeles the high cost of living is very evident. One of the directors of the Triangle pictures showed his utter contempt for riches last week, by giving a New England hotel dinner, in which potatoes constituted the chief event.

Louise Glavin was the guest of honor last week at the annual Orange Show at San Bernardino. Ten miles out of the city she was met by a delegation of automobiles and led the procession into the fair.

Maudie George who recently starred at this theatre in the Blue Bird picture "The Pioneer's Pick" has joined the Thomas Ince-Ray Lee studios.

The local papers today will carry advertisements on the special picture which is to be shown here on Friday and Saturday.

The picture, "The Bugler of Algiers" is an adaptation of the well known patriotic story, "We Are French."

The play is elaborately produced in eight smashing acts.

This picture is in demand by theatres at this time more than any other on the market.

Theda Bara carries off the usual honors in "The Vixen," the William Fox production which will be shown for the last time tonight at 7.30 and 9.15.

Vivian Martin is seen in an extraordinary paramour production, "The Greater Love."

It is a picture much like "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," but with a different twist in the story.

A "Lonesome Luke" concludes a fine program.

GUARDS KNOW NOTHING ABOUT THE SHOOTING

One shot fired in the vicinity of the state armory at 12.30 this morning, alarmed the residents of Richards avenue and that section of the city. Inquiry to the officers of the N. H. C. A. revealed nothing and they claim that the guards had no hand in it.

SEEK AID IN ADVANCING RECRUITING

Boston Navy Yard, Office of the Commandant, First Naval District.

Editor Herald: The welfare of the navy, the country's first line of defense, is a vital point in the prosecution of the expected struggle in defense of our Atlantic sea coast.

We address you, therefore, in this hour of a national crisis, asking your co-operation in the publicity work of the First Naval District. It is submitted that proper and necessary co-operation between us will insure a united effort exerted towards building up the strength of this defense.

Concretely, your personal help is in recruiting, both for the navy itself, and for the Naval Reserve; and towards this end this office plans to furnish daily to your paper such news stories and information as will aid in securing the necessary enlistment of men to man all ships of the navy and Naval Reserve.

If you will publish these articles and through such editorial comment as your judgment and experience dictate, you will, in the opinion of this office, be contributing your full strength in assisting your country and your naval district in this critical time.

Your publication has always been a patriotic inspiration in the community and we feel at liberty therefore, to call upon you for this timely and powerful aid.

Very sincerely yours, W. E. Hush, Captain, Commandant.

WELL KNOWN RAILROAD MAN PASSES ON

Charles H. Penherton of Rochester, one of the best known railroad men in this section, is dead at his home after a week's illness of heart trouble. Deceased was 71 years of age and a native of Somersworth.

When a young man he began his railroad career, working from the bottom of the ladder to the position of assistant road master. For many years he was road master on the Conway and Lakeport branches and a portion of the main line, having his headquarters the greater portion of the time in Dover where he resided for many years. About 11 years ago he moved to Dover, working in conjunction with L. W. Shanks of that city as track supervisor.

LEWIS BILL TO BE REPORTED THIS AFTERNOON

Concord, April 5.—There has been no further action on the Lewis bill. The bill will be reported to the Senate according to plans at three o'clock with a majority report against its passage and a minority report that it ought to pass. An amendment will be offered on the floor that the bill be referred to the people for action, a referendum vote to be taken in November.

MURDERED IN THE LIBRARY OF HIS HOME

After a bitter quarrel with his son Bruce, John Argyle, multi-millionaire, was found murdered in his library. The previous day his will had been made in favor of his adopted daughter Mary, which complicated the affair. Local authorities wanting speedy action called in the great detective Asche Kayton, who, in his scientific manner is sure to bring the real culprit to justice.

Further particulars concerning this distasteful crime may be had by following closely the thrilling events that transpire in "The Argyle Case," now being shown at the Colonial theatre.

MAY TURN ITS QUARTERS OVER TO GOVERNMENT

The Portsmouth Yacht club will hold a meeting tonight at which time the organization will take action on the matter of turning the club quarters over to the government for use as it sees fit during the war.

PASS WEIGHT AND MEASURE BILL

Concord, April 5.—The House passed the Brennan weights and measures bill this morning by a vote of 176 to

63. This bill places the department in the hands of a state commission.

THE CITIZEN'S DUTY

In times like these with danger stalking, More action is required, less talk. And braggardism this while nation Could easily whip all creation. As earnest patriots are swearing And even to the world declaring, All citizens should be united And do their duty unshaken.

Nor be compelled to keep it should, Within their ears by the loud-mouthed As a reminder of what's owing On all so freely Stand together.

We surely must, no matter whether We're native born or earn the blessing Through an adoption, made more pressing.

For some by old world ways of ruling The people—with their freedom feeling The "hyphen" must be relegated To place among the antiquated. By those who've come in countless legions.

From Europe's now devastated regions, Allegiance that's undivided. This land demands and the misguided Would better be not slow in learning. This fact their oath-bound pledge concerning.

And 'tis no time 'gainst war for preaching, For now the dove of peace is screaming!

The olive branch its plumes holding But darts and fumes now unfolding! But 'tis the hour for preparation, Which well may mean this land's salvation.

A dilatory course pursuing Could even be the State's undoing; And all must help instead of hinder When glowing spark has reached the tinder.

—J. E. MOORE.

HEADQUARTERS

Storer Post No. 1, Department of New Hampshire, G. A. R.

General Order No. 1.

Comrades—The time has arrived when we, the comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic, must make the arrangements to commemorate the memory of the comrades who have gone over the "Great Divide" and entered the "Eternal Camp of Glory," especially in their valor and self-sacrificing, deeply impressed upon each survivor of the Civil war, in this critical hour in the Nation's history, and I, as commander of Storer Post No. 1, desire to impress on the minds and hearts of each comrade the solemn obligation we owe to our departed comrades in carrying out the exercises of Memorial Day, and as commander, I trust that this memorial to our departed comrades may prove as an object lesson of patriotism, to the present generation, and this "Day of Grief" be religiously and sacredly observed.

M. H. BELL, Commander.

PERSONALS

Arthur W. Horton was a Dover visitor on Thursday.

Ralph Jordan of Portland, Me., is visiting his family at Badger's Island.

Herbert Mattison of St. Angeline's college, Manchester, is passing the Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Mattison of Union street.

Miss Maud I. Entwistle, who has been touring the Middle states with a dramatic company of New York, is at home here with her father for a rest.

Roland Berkley, Charles Fannagan, John E. Picketing, William Marvin, and Justin French have returned to Phillips Exeter after a week's vacation.

The First Company, N. H. C. A., will drill tonight at the armory for the first time with a full company. The war crisis has filled the boys with enthusiasm and so they are putting their best efforts into the drill work. The fact that they may soon see active service is eagerly looked forward to by every man. Telephone calls are coming in at all hours from each member asking for news and stating they are ready to fall in at the armory at a moment's notice. Last night the armory was crowded by members waiting for the news from Washington or Concord.

WANT TO FIGHT UNDER THEIR OWN FLAG

Americans in the English Army Want to Transfer to United States Unit.

London, April 4.—Ambassador Page was approached today by several Americans serving as officers in the British army, who asked if it would be possible for them to be shifted to the American unit, which it is proposed to organize in London when America comes into the war. All the Americans enlisted in the British army, they said, would undoubtedly be glad to make a change to the American forces, and they asked the ambassador if he could give an idea of what the attitude of the American and British governments would be toward it.

The ambassador informed them that he was sure that the British officials would be eager to make the arrangement, for a shift if a desire were expressed by the embassy here or the state department in Washington.

There are various estimates of the number of Americans serving under the British flag in France. These range from 15,000 to 35,000. A tribe under 7500 wearing the British khaki have admitted themselves to be Americans, and there is no way of telling precisely how many others there are who have not declared themselves. Nearly all are serving in the Canadian forces, and except for the 7500 who have announced their American citizenship, all are down as Canadians.

Maj. Astor has informed the American ambassador that no less than 500 Americans serving in the British ranks have asked to be transferred to the contemplated American unit.

As one way in which the American government might aid the allies in finances, it was suggested to the Herald correspondent today, that a scheme might be arranged whereby huge war loans, running into hundreds of millions of dollars might be taken up by the American government in bond issues, to be put on the market in America at a low rate of interest, such as 3 or 3 1/2 per cent. The interest to be taken care of by the American government if desired, until the war was over. Such action, it was pointed out, would give all the financial support necessary to some of the allies that seriously felt the strain of war. Such bond issues, it was suggested, would make the exporting of gold to America no longer necessary.

FULL COMPANY TO DRILL TONIGHT

The First Company, N. H. C. A., will drill tonight at the armory for the first time with a full company. The war crisis has filled the boys with enthusiasm and so they are putting their best efforts into the drill work. The fact that they may soon see active service is eagerly looked forward to by every man. Telephone calls are coming in at all hours from each member asking for news and stating they are ready to fall in at the armory at a moment's notice. Last night the armory was crowded by members waiting for the news from Washington or Concord.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of the late Patrick J. Kennedy will be held on Friday, at 10 a. m., from the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Kindly omit flowers.

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People
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Boy Macdonald passed Wednesday in Boston.

Frederic H. Ward and daughter Florence, are passing Easter in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Frederic Mayes of Philadelphia is visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Jones of Brewster street.

Miss Olive O'Leary of York Beach is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. John O'Leary of Islington street.

Mrs. George Yarrbrough of Charleston, S. C., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ray of Bow street.

Charles A. Allen, manager of the Armour company's plant in this city, is restricted to his residence by illness.

Miss Mabel Young and Miss Mary Brown, students at New Hampshire college are home for the Easter vacation.

Mr. Harry Robinson of South Eliot was a visitor in Bay View on Wednesday, called there by the death of his grandmother, Mrs. Ada J. Gallagher.

Rev. W. D. Partridge of Braintree, Mass., formerly rector of St. John's church is the guest of Major James T. Partridge, U. S. M. C., on Middle street.

Frank Doona, Frank Patterson, Lawrence Currier, Wallace Akerman, Philip Stott, Lewis Driller, Joseph Sussman, Joseph Frisbee, Phillips Badger, Arthur Davis, Leon Roberts, Charles Perkins, Portsmouth boys at New Hampshire college, are home for the Easter vacation.

Attention—Housewives! We would like to present you with a useful article. Drop a postal to "Wheeler's Ice Cream Factory," 102 Dennett St. or tel. 181W and we will deliver it entirely free.

WHEELER'S ICE CREAM

SHARP WATCH BEING KEPT ON MEXICAN BORDER

Germans Going Into Mexico
Increase Every Day, Along
With Gold Shipment.

El Paso, March 4.—United States Department of Justice agents today started a movement to prevent German subjects from leaving the U. S. and crossing to Mexico. All Germans who are subjects of the Emperor will be examined by government agents before they are permitted to leave for Mexico at any point about the border.

During the past month, more than 1000 German subjects in the United States who are subjects of the Imperial government have crossed to Mexico. Of this number, approximately 150 crossed at Laredo and 300 at El Paso.

A government agent returning from Laredo states there are approximately five Germans crossing into Mexico from that point each day. The total leaving El Paso is estimated at four per day.

There is also a general exodus of Mexicans from the American side of the line from the Gulf to the Pacific. These former Mexican officers and soldiers who were exiled from their native land have been granted amnesty by the defunct government and are reported to have been existing in the ranks of the de facto government to fight the United States in the event of war with Germany.

Former German officers and privates who served in the ranks of the Imperial government are reported to be recruiting in Mexico to attack the American border towns in event of war with Germany.

German bankers in the United States continue to finance the Mexican factions. A large shipment of gold from New York was received here today and sent to Chihuahua City for Gen. Francisco Murgula.

A former German official is reported to have been arrested by the First National Bank here today by Department of Justice officials.

State department agents refuse to disclose his name or to admit that an arrest has been made. It is reported that the man is accused of being a German spy.

Co. K, Texas national guards of El Paso, entrained tonight for Elephant Butte dam, 120 miles northwest of the city. Government agents have received reports that Germans have plotted to dynamite the dam, which would cause a flood through the Rio Grande valley that would cost the lives of thousands of Americans and the loss of millions of dollars worth of property.

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EXETER

Exeter, April 5.—The second annual mid-winter dinner of the Exeter Gun Club was held last evening at the town hall, at which the out-of-town guests included, George McIntyre of Milford, New Hampshire Commissioner of Fish and Game, and William C. Adams, Massachusetts Fish and Game commissioner, besides many others prominent in shooting and gunning circles, including J. H. Mendall of the Amoskeag Gun Club, and Dr. J. H. Gleason of Manchester, John Wentworth of Hudson, Mayor Samuel T. Lord of Portsmouth, J. J. Monahan of East Kingston, Levi S. Bartlett of Kingston, Harry G. Atwood of Newfields, Ellisworth Brown of Seabrook and George M. Hall of Stratham, the latter five being the chairmen of the boards of selection of their towns.

The New Hampshire Fish and Game league which was revived last summer at the residence of Walter B. Farmer, president of the Exeter Gun Club, was also well represented.

A reception was held from 6 to 7 o'clock followed by a bountiful dinner prepared by Caterer F. G. Cummert of Exeter. The after dinner speakers included most of the special invited guests and Ralph Morgan of Worcester, Mass., a summer resident of Exeter. President Walter B. Farmer presided, and among the club members who spoke were Dr. C. H. Gerfish, a member of the Exeter gun club team which won the world's championship at Chicago in 1881, and Capt. A. F. Cooper of the same team, the other members being O. J. Jenkins, H. S. Taylor and C. M. Stark of Dunbarton, who was the medal winner.

Muscle was furnished by the Windsor quartet of Haverhill, Mass. Following the banquet the members and guests repaired to the folk theatre where moving pictures of animal life were given by Dr. Raymond L. Dittmore of New York, curator of the New York Zoological gardens, his subject being "Our Animal Friends and Foes."

Wilhelm Segerblom, a member of the committee for the 25th session of the class of '92 of the academy, which will be held next June, has returned from New York where he attended a meeting of the committee held at the Harvard club of that city.

Selectionman Frank H. Wadleigh, who was taken to the Cottage hospital last week with an attack of blood poisoning is reported to be improving.

The members of the Exeter lodge of Rebekahs met last evening for the purpose of meeting the assembly warden, Kate Davis.

Preparations are being made for changes and improvements in the stable of Principal Lewis Perry of the Phillips Exeter academy.

Attorney Jeremy Waldron of Portsmouth was a business visitor at the county building yesterday.

Today is the 77th birthday of Jerry Towle of Newfields, who was a former Portsmouth resident, having been engaged in the baking business there for many years in the early '80s. He is a native of Newington, and lived there during his younger days. He is now enjoying good health, and is well known in this section of the county, largely through his connection with the Republican party which he served at many of the old time conventions.

Ray B. Duell, agent of the Rockingham County Farmers' Association, will next week commence on an orchard demonstration, and boys' farming club talks. It is expected that there will be an added interest, and increase in the farming in this section this spring on account of the war, and many have already planned to plough up all of the available land for agricultural purposes. Mr. Duell is this week engaged in holding meetings in the interest of the Farmers' association, he having met many at meetings in Newington, Greenland and Rye, where many new members have been enrolled.

Work is now rapidly progressing on the new gymnasium of the Phillips Exeter academy, which was commenced last fall, and is to be erected at a cost of over \$200,000. Today a force of nineteen Italian laborers arrived for work. This building will be situated on Ollman street opposite the Olmpton playing field, and will be completed and ready for use at the opening of the school year next September.

The spring term of Phillips Exeter academy will commence tomorrow morning, the registration having been in progress during today.

Justia French, William B. Marvin, John H. R. Pickering, Charles J. Flanagan, and Rowland W. Berkeley, the Portsmouth delegation at the academy, arrived this afternoon to commence their studies tomorrow.

Two prominent candidates who joined Coach Carney's baseball squad this afternoon were Constantine O'Doherty, last year's third baseman, and Phillip Corican, leading candidate for catcher. There were several others who came out, and the work consisted of batting practice for the most part. It was expected that the regular diamond would be ready for use, but it will be tomorrow when the entire squad commences work.

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Washington, April 4.—The government today invoked for the first time its drastic powers to strike a death blow at exorbitant war profit.

Under authority of the last naval appropriation bill, a manufacturer was directed to furnish a large order of war supplies at a price fixed by the government far lower than the figure voluntarily submitted. If the order is not obeyed, the plant will be taken over and operated by the government.

Officials would not disclose the name of the manufacturer nor the agency through which the order was given. It was admitted, however, that the action had been taken and that President Wilson and his advisers were firmly resolved that only fair and reasonable charges should be made by the nation to its citizens for the things that are

necessary to make ready for war. The European governments are paying an average of ten per cent profit on war materials purchased in the United States. It was asserted authoritatively that the government of the United States intended to buy its own supplies at less than that rate of profit to the seller.

A section of the national defense act makes it a felony, punishable by three years' imprisonment and \$50,000 fine to fail to meet the government's demands. Another section of the navy bill authorizes the taking over and operation of any part of the plant.

Standing out sharply against the background came today an announcement by Bernard Baruch, commissioner for materials of the National Defense council of the voluntary offer of the brass-makers' industry to fill the government's orders at cost of production. This followed the recent agreement secured by Mr. Baruch with the copper producers and similar arrangements now in progress of completion with the steel and fuel oil producers.

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AMERICANS NOW ALL OUT OF GERMANY

Washington, April 4.—Virtually all American residents and officials desiring to leave now are out of Germany according to a report today from Minister Stovall at Berlin, Switzerland.

He said Minister Whitlock and 75 other Americans, including the staff of the legation at Brussels, the consuls in Belgium and the American relief workers there, arrived at Berlin last night, and that only a few relief workers submitted to the stipulated news quarantine and German-Americans who have stayed by choice are left under German authority.

This does not take into account however, the American sailors taken to a German port by the raider, Moewe and held as prisoners of war.

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PORTSMOUTH MEN FIGHT AGAINST LEWIS BILL

Twenty Seven Business Men of City Sign Letter to Chairman of the Senate Committee Against Passing Bill Repealing License

Concord, April 4.—The Senate Committee on Revision of Laws held a busy session today when House Bill 444, known as the Lewis Bill, for the repeal of the existing liquor license law, was under discussion. Portsmouth was well represented by a number of citizens interested in the measure, among them being Mayor Ladd, ex-Mayor William E. Marvin, Harry E. Payton, Frederick M. Sise, President of the Board of Trade; Postmaster John H. Dowd, Secretary Edward Seybolt of the Board of Trade; President Richard A. Cooney of the New Hampshire Federation of Labor; Councilman Harry T. Wendell, Charles H. Stillinger and others.

The bill is creating more interest than any one measure that the 1917 legislature has been called upon to consider. Portsmouth, Manchester and Concord being vitally interested in its defeat to a large extent. The Portsmouth business men, twenty-seven in number, presented a letter to the chairman of the committee urging that the committee report against the bill. The letter was signed by the twenty-seven citizens, none of whom are directly interested in the liquor business. The letter was presented to the committee by former Mayor William E. Marvin of Portsmouth who followed the letter by his remarks, elaborating on the facts as stated in the letter. The others before mentioned also spoke before the committee urging that the committee report adversely on the bill.

The letter to the committee follows:

Portsmouth, N. H.

April 2, 1917

Honorable the Committee on Revision of the Laws, New Hampshire Senate, Hon. Joseph B. Perley, Chairman, Concord, N. H.

Dear Sir:—We, the undersigned citizens of Portsmouth, none of whom is directly or indirectly interested in the

more than one fifth of the entire tax value of the city.

If a devastating fire should run through this community and destroy more than two million dollars worth of property, the sympathy of the whole State of New Hampshire and its help would be extended to us; yet should such a calamity occur, it would be less serious to Portsmouth than the passage of the "Lewis" Bill. Inasmuch as such a loss would be reimbursed by insurance and soon could be repaired, while the loss entailed by prohibiting at one fell stroke, a business, which has grown up under state supervision for the past fourteen years, never can be compensated for.

Portsmouth, in common with other communities, would suffer additionally by the increase of its state and County taxes incident to the depletion of the State of license fees, even without increased appropriation. Incidentally, the passage of this bill would throw out of employment in this city some three hundred skilled brewery workmen and about one hundred twenty persons engaged in the liquor business, the aggregate of whose wages is not less than \$300,000.

We feel that before you impose this burden upon the City of Portsmouth, it should be given some opportunity of preparing to carry it and of adjusting to the change of conditions; we are staggering under a tax rate, now, which is excessive and if this law becomes effective we should face a tax of thirty dollars a thousand, for an indefinite period, on the present scale of public expenditures, but with necessary war appropriations added, the burden will become incalculably greater.

Could the loss entailed be spread proportionally over the whole state we should not object to the passage of this bill, should other parts of the state not now be materially affected by its passage still insist upon it; but we feel that we can not express ourselves too strongly against the injustice that would be done to this community should it pass in its present form. It would be, in effect, the same as taking property by right of eminent domain, on the part of the state and should be accompanied by corresponding compensation to those upon whom the loss immediately falls; that they may not be compelled to bear an undue proportion of an essentially public burden. Mr. Cooney said:

"Gentlemen of the Honorable Committee of Revision of Laws:—

"I have the privilege and honor to appear for the State Federation of Labor to oppose the passage of H. B. No. 444 on behalf of the organized workers of the State of New Hampshire. My reason for appearing here in their behalf is because there are many organized workers affiliated with the State Federation of Labor who will be affected should this bill become a law.

"I will read for you your information resolutions adopted by the State Federation of Labor at her 15th Annual Convention held at Dover, N. H., July 21-23.

Resolution 2. License Law. Whereas, Certain organizations are endeavoring to repeal the present license law not alone in the State of New Hampshire but throughout the entire Union; and

Whereas, The adoption of the same would not alone cause widespread misery and unnecessary suffering to those making their living in the production and distribution, but would bring about results that would defeat the very results that these bodies desire to bring about—temperance; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the New Hampshire State Branch of the American Federation of Labor reaffirm its former stand in favor of true temperance, and opposed to prohibition or the repeal of the present license law governing the sale of spirituous liquors.

Approved by committee. Adopted. "Labor is opposed to Prohibition because it fails to prohibit and merely transfers the business from the legalized saloon to the kitchen bar bootlegging blind tigers and the various other methods in order to obtain their desires, making us a nation of outlaws and sneaks. Prohibition, if enacted, will bear heaviest on the vast majority of our citizens who use beer and liquors temperately for they will be compelled to suffer for the small minority who abuse it.

"In this bill it allows of transportation into our State of liquors, a direct aid against the laboring man for he is unable to buy the same in quantity, thus depriving him of his every right to enjoy his glass of beer after his day's work, and the percentage of working men who abuse drink in my opinion, not half as great as those who

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In favor of the passage of this bill, and again, you have made no provision for the vast majority of working men putting us on the same plane with the negro of the South, and if you are honest and sincere in your endeavor to serve mankind you will try and have laws passed which will govern and regulate that minority, for I believe with Comptroller, President of the American Federation of Labor that there is no movement so potent to make people temperate as the organized labor movement of this country, increasing wages, establishing a shorter work day, affording the opportunities for the cultivation of better tastes, better aspirations, higher ideals which the better standard of living and freedom from long hours afford them. These will bring the opportunity for better homes and surroundings and better working conditions, all these have been more potent and will prove to be more potent in establishing temperance and temperate habits than any attempt to regulate personal habits or to inaugurate prohibition laws, and I sincerely hope that you will join with us in our efforts in behalf of humanity and the liquor problem will solve itself.

"In conclusion I regret to say that the temperance people work for this class of legislation from a merely moral point of view, looking sight of the economic point of view that the organized worker has upon questions of this kind. The passage of H. B. No. 444 means the throwing out of employment many men who are receiving good wages and I fail to see anything in this bill whereby you have provided a way whereby these citizens of New Hampshire, members of the organizations that I have the honor to represent will have an opportunity to secure other employment at the wages they now receive to support the families now dependent upon them."

Looks Like Death of This Measure

The Manchester delegation will hold a meeting at the close of the afternoon session to consider the Manchester bill relating to the extension of the election of the mayor and the board of aldermen one year. Many members of the delegation have expressed the opinion today that the bill will be killed.

Senate and the House Will Confer. The senate today was informed that the house of representatives had refused to comply with its amendments to house bill No. 444 with reference to municipal accounts, and had appointed Representatives Couch and Murchie of Concord and Bell of Exeter as a committee of conference. The senate accepted the report and authorized the president to appoint a committee to join with the house of representatives for a further consideration of this bill. President Barton named Senators Theobald and Martin as members of this committee.

Safety and Health for Factory Employees. House bill No. 558, An act to provide for the safety and health of employees in factories and workshops, came before the senate today with a recommendation from the judiciary committee that it ought to pass.

Sensor Theriault, chairman of the committee, explained that the present bill was an act to provide safety and health for employees in factories and workshops; that it was the outcome of three bills which had been introduced early in the session and had been constructed by taking the best features of all the bills. He stated that efficiency has been accomplished in the new bill and less expense. The expense would be \$900 as an additional allowance to the labor commissioner, whereas the original bill passed by the senate called for an expenditure of \$3000.

The stenographers and clerks in the office of the labor commissioner would be able to do the additional work without necessitating any extra expense. He said the bill contained all of the desirable features which the senators have wanted and expressed a wish for in other bills.

The bill was, after this explanation, referred to the finance committee of the senate.

HOLLIS ABSENT FROM WASHINGTON

Washington, D. C., April 4.—Senator Henry P. Hollis of New Hampshire,

who has not appeared in the senate since the convening of the extraordinary session to declare war, and pass other emergency legislation, was still absent today when the "war resolution" was debated and passed.

No one in Washington seemed to know where Senator Hollis was, and no information was obtainable regarding the reason for his absence.

At Senator Hollis's office it was said he was out of town and had been for about three weeks. He was supposed to be in the South, it was said, and his exact whereabouts was unknown, but a forwarding address for his mail was expected tomorrow.

Although his office said that serious matters were responsible for his absence from Washington, the "serious matters" are not in connection with his health or that of his family it was said.

THREE CALLS FOR COMBINATION FOR GRASS FIRES

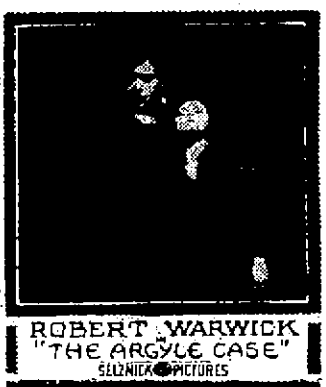
CREW OF CHEMICAL BUSY YESTERDAY AFTERNOON CHECKING BLAZES IN DIFFERENT SECTIONS OF THE CITY

The auto combination was called three times on Wednesday as in many hours by grass fires. Little damage resulting from any of the blazes. The first call came in at 12:22 for a slight fire on McDonough street on the property of John Dyer. The fire was checked by the stream from the chemical.

The call at 2:15 sent the flying squad to the Hough property at the Plains where a lively fire was blazing, endangering the farm buildings, the end of the barn already having caught. The efforts of the crew saved the barn and house but considerable territory was burned over.

At 3:30 a call was sent in for a grass fire at the plant of the Colonial Paper Company at Freeman's Point. This was extinguished by the use of the fire pumps on the property without serious damage.

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LEGISLATURE CONGRATULATES RUSSIA

Concord, April 4.—Resolutions celebrating the Russian people on having effected a change of government from autocracy to a democratic passed the house by a unanimous vote this afternoon. These resolutions were introduced by Representative Couch of Concord, majority leader, and seconded by Representative Brennan of Portsmouth, the minority leader. They are as follows:

"Whereas, the people of Russia have taken the government of that country into their own hands and have substituted a democracy for an autocracy, and whereas we wish to rejoice with Russia, the often-proved friend of this country, that she has placed herself on the side of enlightened freedom and liberty which has been paid for by the lives of thousands of her bravest and best people.

"Therefore, be it resolved by the house of representatives, the senate concurring, that the legislature of New Hampshire, expressing the sentiments of the people of the state and of the country, rejoice with Russia that she has made her dream of democracy come true, and bespeak for her aid and encouragement of the liberty-loving people of our own country, and express the belief that the forward step of Russia is a great advantage toward the time when all the governments of Europe shall be of the people, by the people, for the people.

"It is further resolved that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded by the secretary of state to the president of the Union of Russia."

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GERMANY STOPS WIRELESS SERVICE TO UNITED STATES

The Hague, April 4.—The German-American wireless service has ceased. Berlin advices today indicated its abandonment in view of present conditions. (The Sayville wireless station today sent a number of official German wireless items. There was no wire less received yesterday.)

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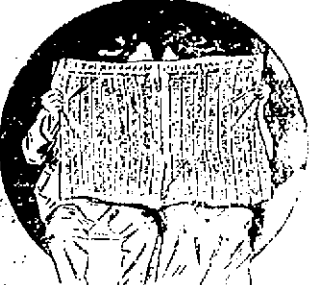


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WHITLOCK AND 60 AMERICANS REACH BERNE

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Berne, April 4.—Brund Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, reached Berne at 4 o'clock last evening, looking worn and weary after the tremendous strain under which he has been working, which has been especially hard during the last few weeks. Mr. Whitlock was accompanied from Zurich to Berne by Pleasant A. Stovall, American minister to Switzerland, who, with the Belgian attaches went, part of the way to the frontier to meet him.

The Swiss government sent three high officers to Schaffhausen to meet the Americans and to accompany them to Zurich. From Brussels to the frontier, the Whitlock party was escorted by Baron von Falkenhayn, an official especially delegated by Governor General von Bissing. The party left Brussels Monday night on a special train.

In addition to 60 Americans comprising the legation staff, consular agents and all but five of the Belgian relief commission officials, Mr. Whitlock traveled with the Chinese charge d'affaires from Brussels with his staff and their families. The Chinese officials had received instructions to leave Brussels for Hanoi at almost the same time as the Americans.

Mr. Whitlock described his departure from Brussels as extremely touching. The Belgians, who, since the breach of relations between the United States and Germany, have been pathetically anxious lest the departure of the Americans might mean starvation for them, gathered by thousands at the Gare du Nord to say farewell. It was feared there would be some demonstration which would bring down the anger of the German authorities and cause some reprisal on the Belgians, but the latter, realizing that themselves remained almost entirely silent although many wept, as the train pulled out of the station an occasional "Vive Amerique" broke the quiet, but the majority stood with bare heads and contemplated themselves with waving hats and handkerchiefs.

The trip was speedy and uneventful and the boundary was crossed at Singen without other delay than the usual formalities.

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AT THE PRINCIPAL BOSTON THEATRES

GERALDINE FARRAR IN "JOAN THE WOMAN."

Enters on Its 4th Big Week of Success at the Colonial Theatre, Boston, Next Monday.

If the photo-play of "Joan the Woman," now filling the Colonial Theatre, Boston, every afternoon and evening, could be shown in France, the patriotic folks of that gallant republic would go wild about it. People in this country, so far removed from the scenes of battle and courage which have been staged on French soil in the past three years, have only slightest conception of the adoration in which the memory and the spirit of the indomitable Joan of Arc are held by the French. We, over here, sit before a beautiful picture, revealing the most striking episodes in the thrilling career of Joan of Arc, and applaud Geraldine Farrar, the gifted American girl who created the film characterization. In France they worship the Joan of Arc in marble and bronze.

Before the high portals of the Cathedral of Rheims, the giant statue of the Maid of Orleans still stands. There are few civilians left in the town, but it teems with soldiers. It is these loyal soldiers to whom has been the credit for constant loyalty to Joan's memory. Banks of floral tributes appear daily about the statue; through the flowers can be seen the light blue and white colors of the girl warrior. Flanking is draped neatly about the statue, and when it becomes warm or weather-beaten, it is replaced with fresh ribbons, official sort so much used in France; but many have been gathered in the fields untouched by war, and have been fashioned into bouquets by the men in the trenches. Joan of Arc today is their patron saint, as she was to that loyal hand which fought under her at the walls of Orleans, centuries ago. The fourth big week begins next Monday, April 9th.

THE DOLLY SISTERS IN "HIS BRIDAL NIGHT."

Coming to Ye Wilbur Theatre, Boston, Next Week.

Those firmly established dancing favorites, the Dolly Sisters, Yanni and Rozika, for years famous in vaudeville headline position and featured in leading musical comedy productions, open a limited engagement at Ye Wilbur Theatre, Boston, as co-stars, in the A. H. Woods presentation of a new three-act farce comedy called "His Bridal Night," commencing next Monday night, April 9th, after phenomenal seasons of success in New York and Chicago. It is a play of mistaken identity, written on original lines, from the pens of Lawrence Riving, with revision and elaboration by Margaret Mayo, the author of "Baby Mine," "Twelve Peds," and other successful farces.

The story begins with the marriage of Joe Dumorel to Vi, one of twin sisters. Just before they start on their honeymoon trip they quarrel, and the husband leaves the bride room in a huff. Lent Trevett, who is also in love with Vi, has just learned of the marriage, and, rushing into Vi's boudoir, succeeds in making the bride think that her husband is a bully and that she does not love him. She makes up her mind to run away, get a divorce from him and marry Trevett. But Vi's twin sister, Tiny who is an exact counterpart, plans that a lesson should be taught Vi for she is treading on the grounds of her sister, who has herself set her cap for Trevett. Finally, by clever manipulation, Tiny starts on the honeymoon with Dumorel, the groom, thinking he is with his bride. Tiny dresses like her sister and represents herself as Vi. She is then followed by Trevett, who also thinks she is Vi. Then Vi follows, and a general mixup follows. Both girls claim to be Vi, and both men claim the same one to be Vi. Dressed alike, they are unable to tell the one from the other. In the end, however, after many laughable complications and humorous situations, Tiny confesses the deception, and Lent wins her hand, with Vi re-

turns to her husband. In addition to the Dolly Sisters, who will introduce their famous dancing specialties, the cast includes Louise Closser Hale, Jessie Ralph, John Wesley, James Tennie, Harry Whitford, J. Archer Curtis and others.

Seats will be placed on sale Thursday, April 6th. Matinees will be given during the engagement on Wednesday and Saturday.

NEXT WEEK—EASTER ATTRACTION, HALL CAINE'S "THE WOMAN THOU GAVEST ME" AT SHUBERT THEATRE, BOSTON.

One of the very biggest productions which Boston will have seen in many years come to the Shubert Theatre, Boston, April 9th. This is the Messrs. Shubert's production of Hall Caine's latest play, "The Woman Thou Gavest Me." It is, of course, a dramatization of his own famous and widely read story of the same title—a story which, according to the publishers, has already had a wider circulation than any of Hall Caine's previous popular novels, not even excepting "The Christian," "The Eternal City" and "The Prodigal Son."

"The Woman Thou Gavest Me" will recall to older theatergoers, in the way of its theme, both from standpoint of company and scenic splendor, the great days of the Boston Theatre, with its productions like "The Auld," "Youth," "The Eagle," etc. Messrs. Shubert have engaged a powerful cast, which truly deserves the phrase "all-star." Edmund Breese, Mabel Taliaferro, Derwent Hall Caine (son of the novelist), and Madame Yorska, a distinguished French actress and protégée of Sarah Bernhardt, will enact the four chief roles, while Whitford Kane, who made so great a success in "Hobson's Choice," Crawford Kent, Mabel Carruthers, and Maude Milton, last seen here as leading woman for Sir Herbert Tree, will be seen in roles of almost equal interest.

The company is enormous, numbering over one hundred people, and the production as a whole is promised to be one of the biggest and most spectacular in a scenic way ever presented in this city.

One scene represents an Antarctic night at the South Pole, and requires a cyclorama one hundred and ten feet in length and ninety feet in height—the biggest cyclorama ever painted for a stage production in the history of the theatre.

Some of the inspiration for this latest Hall Caine play was found in a story from real life, but equally is a creation of the master novelist's vivid imagination. The production is being staged under the direction of Derwent Hall Caine, son of the novelist, who will also appear in the fine role of Martin Conrad, the lover of Mary O'Neill. Seats will be on sale at the box office, Thursday, April 6th.

GUAY BATES POST IN "THE MASQUERADE."

Starts on 6th Great Week at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, Next Monday

The sixth week of what has developed into the season's biggest dramatic success, Guay Bates Post in "The Masquerade," will begin at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston, next Monday evening, April 9th. This newest of Richard Walton Tully's productions scored an instantaneous hit, capacity houses being the unvarying rule. Droll roles have always possessed a deep fascination for theatergoers, and in this instance, the lure of the dual role is fortified by gripping melodrama, ingenious stage devices, splendid scenic backgrounds and fine acting. The action of the play starts with a short prologue showing a London fog and the meeting of the two men who are destined to exchange stations in life. In order not to miss this important scene patrons should be in their seats by 8.15. The company supporting Mr. Post is an unusually good one, including Louis Calvert, Thais Lawton, Florence Mabone, Clarence Handyside, Ian Forbes Robertson, Ruby Doolan, Olive Temple and Nina Louisa.

No attraction at the Plymouth Theatre since the famous run of "Under Cover" has achieved such success as "The Masquerade." In fact, no drama in several seasons has attracted such crowded attendance at every per-

22 PLANTS SHUT DOWN ON APRIL 20

CLOSING COINCIDES WITH EXPIRATION OF "PEACE AGREEMENT" WITH UNION MEN.

(By Associated Press)

Lynn, April 4.—More than 12,000 shoe workers are affected by a notice given today by 22 members of the Lynn Manufacturers' Association that on Friday, April 20, the factories will be closed for an indefinite period. The association states this is done to take account of stock and make repairs.

The date of the shutdown is simultaneous with the expiration of a "peace agreement" which has been in effect for the last year between the manufacturers and members of unions affiliated with the United Shoe Workers of America.

The firms who are said to have served notice on their employees include some of the largest in the city and who manufacture high class goods. The manufacturers claim they are paying 7 cents a pair more for shoes than are the manufacturers of Haverhill and Brockton.

Stephen M. Walsh, general secretary and treasurer of the United Shoe Workers of America, at his office in Boston this afternoon, said he had no information regarding the matter. If the workers are to be without employment it would be a serious proposition he declared.

Performance and event so much disruption. Matinees are given at the Plymouth on Thursday and Saturday.

"THE BEAUTIFUL UNKNOWN"

New Strauss' Operetta Coming to Majestic Theatre, Boston, Next Week.

The Messrs. Shubert will present at the Majestic Theatre, Boston, next Monday, April 9th, a new operetta entitled "The Beautiful Unknown," the book and lyrics of which are by Leo Stein and Leopold Jacobson and the score by Oscar Straus, composer of "The Chocolate Soldier" and "The Waltz Dream." The American adaptation has been made by Edward Paul and special numbers by Stannard Remberg have been added to the score. "The Beautiful Unknown" is in three acts and was originally produced in Budapest, where it ran for over a year before it was seen in Vienna. Since then it has run continuously in both capitals—despite the war.

The scenes of the operetta are laid in a city of Hungary. All is peace and safety and the dashing officers of the 125th regiment are leaving their new marching chorus as the curtain rises upon their assembly room in the barracks. Interest quickly centres in Captain Poldek, the most gallant blade of the whole regiment, who announces that he is about to resign from the exact organization because of the many debts he has incurred. His gruff old colonel protests as do all his fellow officers, but to no avail. He bids his numerous sweethearts a fond farewell in turn and, determined to free himself from all feminine entanglements, holds a "contagion party," for his comrades in which he destroys his collection of love letters and photographs.

One letter, which has never been read, fails to catch his eye, however, and, rescuing it, Capt. Poldek discovers therein a lady's glove and a letter from a feminine admirer, who states that her hand and her fortune are at his disposal on condition that he find her within a brief period. The fascination of the mystery appeals to him and he begins the hunt for "The Beautiful Unknown."

There will be a beauty chorus of 80, a special symphonic orchestra of forty and a gorgeous scenic and costume display. The cast of the principal roles is notable embracing, as it does, Charles Farrell, who made a big hit here recently in "Flora Belia," that brilliant and beautiful prima donna, Lois Ewell, as Lydia, a dainty young American girl of golden voice, who are told who will make her debut in Boston in the role of Elaine, "the daughter of the regiment," Maude Odell, Ned Monroe, Sam Edwards and Charles Judels in the principal comedy parts; Horace Stachler, Arthur Geary, Jean Winton, Helen Gunther and a host of minor favorites.

RUSSIAN ENVOY IS WOUNDED AT BALTIMORE

(By Associated Press)

Baltimore, Md., April 4.—M. Borzotovsky, an attaché of the Russian Embassy, who arrived some eight days ago with dispatches from the Russian Minister of Finance to the Russian Embassy in this country, was shot this afternoon at the Baltimore Country Club by an unknown assailant. He is in a serious condition at a Baltimore Hospital. U. S. Secret Service agents are working on the case in an attempt to apprehend the would-be assassin.

One way to relieve habitual constipation is to take regularly a mild laxative. Doan's Regulator is recommended for this purpose, 25c a box at all drug stores.

Manchester thought it best, owing to its larger foreign population to have the police make the military census, but in all other cities of the state, it is being done as in this city, by men appointed by the mayor.

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GOOD FRIDAY.
Services in the North Church at 7.30 p. m. Sermon by Rev. Prof. Benjamin Marshall of Dartmouth College. The music: Prelude, "Agnus Dei," Chaminade; Anthem, "God so loved the world," Stainer; Anthem, "Thy Will be done," Noellinger.

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Plans Submitted to Public Works Board on Wednesday Night.

The Board of Public Works held a busy meeting on Wednesday night, with the mayor and the full board assembled. The most of the time was given to the proposed paving of Middle street. Engineer Grover was present with plans and specifications covering the same, which met the approval of the board. It was the sentiment of the board that this section of the city be paved with all possible haste and there will be no delay. It is proposed to pave from the junction of Middle street and Congress street to Lincoln avenue this year.
The Boston and Maine railroad has been notified to make the necessary changes in the electric car line roadbed between these points. It is understood that the railroad has all the necessary material assembled for the work and will put in the heavy T rails and steel ties.
All other corporations which have underground work to care for or install, have been notified to get busy as soon as possible.
The work of erecting the new standpipes for Beverly Brook water will not be delayed as the board plans to begin just as soon as the bids reach the office.
Several petitions were received from builders and contractors for permits to occupy city property for construction.
The Portsmouth Gas Co. was granted the right to open several streets for installation of many new feed lines.

THE HERALD HEARS

That the time to begin the new street work is right now.
That Market street is a mess where the telephone company put in the underground system.
That it is getting worse every day and there should be no delay in repairing it as soon as the frost leaves the ground.
That the yarn about the guard shooting at some powder near the state armory on Wednesday night was going the rounds today.
That there is absolutely nothing to it.
That the reported arrest of supposed spies across the river in Maine, has certainly started something.
That there appears to have been no cause for all the reports and alarm on the matter.
That there are several young men in this city who would like to join the secret service and who could fill the position with credit.
That the summer hotel managers along the coast are guessing as to what move to make.
That a jeweler in Brattleboro, Vt., has a potato exhibited in a jewel show case in his window with a card bearing the following: "This is a potato; once used as food by Americans."
That Tax Collector Beckman of Seabrook is engaged in a hunt for back taxes.
That he is going back to 1911, 1912, and 1913.
That he gives all who owe the town until April 7 to come across.
That if not paid on or before that date, he is going to arrest one and all and commit them to jail.
That if he carried out this declaration, Sheriff Spinney will have a packed house on Penhallow street.
That there is likely to be a question how many the sheriff would take from that town owing to the fact that the town still owes him \$160 for board of the last tax dodger who was his guest.
That a suit for this amount is still pending in the courts.
That Collector Beckman or somebody else will have to show the sheriff before he entertains any more guests from that town.
That a leading woman pacifist suggests that women show their disapproval of war, in case it is declared, by going in mourning.
That the way the styles run they would be kept busy completing the black rib, hunting for black shoes and stockings.
That the Odd Fellows' Lodge of Columbus City Indiana, has got something that no other lodge has and which the members are not charged for.
That a lot of bees got into the lodge chamber and stored 135 pounds of honey.
That the Chinese hat for girls is not taking extensively among the Portsmouth females.
That nobody pays any attention to a pistol shot nowadays unless they happen to feel it, thinking that all explosions are bursting auto tires.
That a contractor at Fitztown, Pa., tearing down an old house, found \$200 in gold under the floor.
That the house had been empty for some time and no one knows who concealed the money.
That a woman recently purchased the old structure for \$150.
That it is no wonder that some of these house thieves get away from the police.
That a woman at Dover watched

one at work and never said a word to the officers.
That she even saw him climb in the window and go about the house with a flashlight.
That Dr. Jesse Green of West Chester, Pa., has been elected treasurer of an insurance company for the 60th time.
That he is 100 years old and has been with the company 75 years. Some record.
That some of the barber shops were opened today and some of them closed their doors at noon, as has been the usual Thursday custom.
That a lively runaway of a pair of horses took place on Congress street this noon. The animals were caught after much speeding, with little damage resulting.

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Antique furniture, restored and upholstered, Hair mattresses renovated, Margeson Bros., Tel. 570.
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Lent is fast drawing to a close to the great delight of the dancing public who look forward to the after Easter social season.
Don't forget the Woodman's hall, April 11, Freeman's hall; good music.
The Herald was obliged to refuse calls for over one hundred copies of Wednesday night's Herald owing to the demand. Better phone 37 and have it left at your home.
Don't fail to visit the Oriental Shop, opposite Public Library, before you decide upon an Easter gift. You will find them inexpensive, yet expressive. Our Japanese bowls, filled with blooming plants, are particularly suitable.
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**COLONIAL THEATRE
NOTES.**

A picture for the whole family, "The Argyle Case" tonight at the Colonial.
Detective Wm. J. Burns is one of the authors of "The Argyle Case."
"The Value of a Life," the Modern Woodmen of America film, attracted more than passing comment from those who witnessed its presentation yesterday.
More baffling than Sherlock Holmes is "The Argyle Case." See it tonight.
Vandeville next Monday—Bob Quigley & Co. in "The Little House Under the Hill," will head the bill.
Viola Dana in "Rosie O'Grady" will be the picture feature next Monday and Tuesday.
The last and best installment of "Pearl of the Army" will be shown next Monday and Tuesday.
Who killed John Argyle? Come tonight and you will find out.
GIRLS' CLUB.
There will be a supper at 6.15 tonight, followed by regular monthly business meeting. A large attendance is desired.
POP CONCERT.
Anyone desiring a table for the pop concert, notify Miss Margaret Goodwin. Tel. 11761.

**CONVENTION IN
PORTSMOUTH
MAY 15-16**

State Foresters in Large Numbers Will Gather Here for Two Days.

The Order of Foresters of this city, Courts Stockingham and Trippitt, have started on the plans of entertaining a large number of delegates of the order who will meet in this city on the occasion of the state convention, May 15 and 16, in connection with the affair a ball will precede the convention on the evening of May 14 and a banquet will take place on the 15th. The Portsmouth branch of Foresters expect this to be the largest convention held by the order in the state for many years.

**WILL OFFER
SERVICES TO
GOVERNMENT**

A meeting of the local dentists is called for five o'clock this evening at the office of Dr. B. C. Gaisford to take action on the war. It is the purpose of the dentists to offer a half day a week each, to those recruits who desire to have their teeth put in condition so they may pass the medical examination. The dentists do the work free of charge.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Having purchased the business of the Peoples' Coal Company I am pleased to announce that I have reopened the coal business on my own account, and will be pleased to again serve my old friends and my new ones who may favor me. My endeavor will be to handle only the highest grade coals and to give the highest grade service, and I promise careful and courteous attention to all our customers' requirements.
At present orders phoned to my residence, No. 621, or to Carl and Co's office, No. 284-W, will receive prompt attention.
CHARLES W. GRAY.

EASTER OPENING.

A box of candy given with each and every purchase on Saturday, Mass' Drug Store, O. J. Allinson, Successor.
Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Rain tonight and Friday; increasing east wind, reaching gale proportions.

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With gas and set tubs, barn and garage. About one acre of land, a very desirable home.
BUTLER & MARSHALL
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Seven rooms and bath. Electric lights, set tubs, gas, furnace heat, barn and hen house. Corner lot.


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ELECTRIC NEEDLE EXPERT**
Removes Superfluous Hair
Will be at Hair Dressing Parlor of Mrs. Ida A. Nelson, 4 Globe Building, April 6
Phone appointments there.

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C. C. WASHBURN,
Tel. 377.


Our "Better" model pinback is one of our smartest Spring Overcoats. One of these coats will give you a special mention notice in the Easter "write-up." The patterns are fancy mixtures in a variety of colorings and the fabrics run largely to tweed effects. Then we show the popular knitted fabrics in handsome "healthier" mixtures.
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Notice To The Ladies
Whether you do or you do not believe in equal suffrage may we offer a suggestion in regard to your straw hat of last year.
We like to see the ladies neatly dressed and the straw hat of last year may be made to look as fresh as when new at a small expense by the use of Colorite.
We have all the new tints as well as the more sombre shades.
Samples of the different tints and shades gladly shown even though you do not purchase.
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